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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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In response to the Office Action mailed on August 20, 2007, please consider the following Amendments and Remarks.